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In re the Application of: **TSUBOTA, Kenji, et al.**

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For: **FLUID CONTROL DEVICE**

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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

February 18, 2009

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated **November 18, 2008**, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page two of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page **nine** of this paper.

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w/ Brewer
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